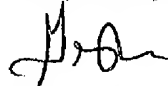


**REMARKS**

The present amendment is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed June 22, 2004 and corrects the previous incorrect characterization of claim 11 as "currently amended." Rather, as now set forth, it is "previously presented."

Reconsideration of the application, as amended, is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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